

ENGLISH OPERM:

The Vocal Mulick

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The INSTRUMENTAL MUSICK

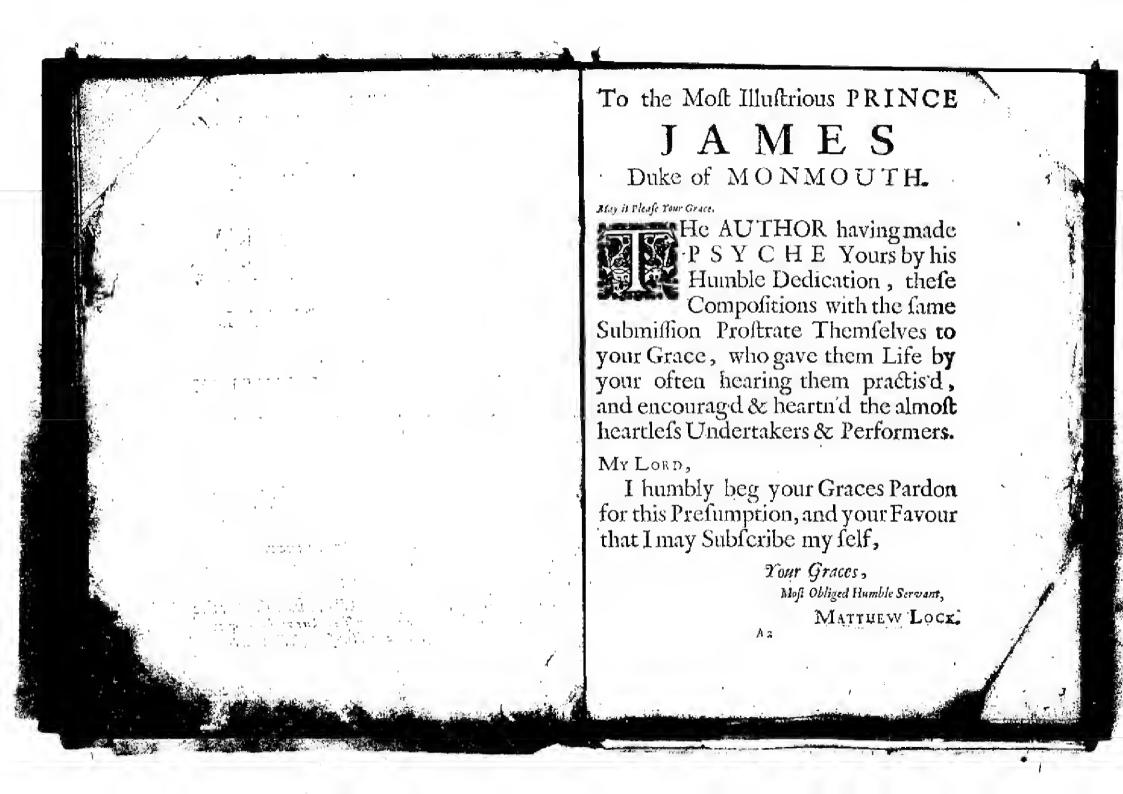
TEMPEST.

MATTHEW LOCK, Composer in Ordinary to His MAJESTY, and Organisto the QUEEN.

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PREFACE.

Hat Poetry and Musick, the chief manifesters of Harmonical Phancy, should produce such discordant essets in many, is more to be pityed than wonder'd at; it being become a kind of fashionable wit, to Peck and Carpat other Mens conceptions, how mean sower their own are. Expecking therefore to fall under the Lash of some fost headed, or
hard hearted Composer (for there are too many better at striking
of faults then mending them) I shall endeavour to remove those
fem blocks which perhaps they may take occasion to slumble at.

The first may be the Title, OPERA. To this I must anfiver, That the word is borrowed of the Italian; who by it, diffinguish their Comedies from their Opera's ; Those, a short Plot being laid, the Comedians according to their different Theams given, Speak, and Ast Extempore; but thefe after much confideration, industry and pains for splendid Scenes and Machines to Illustrate the Grand Defign, with Art are composed in such kinds of Musick as the Subject requires; and accordingly performed. Proportionable to which are these Compositions (the Reader being referr'd to the Book of the whole work for the particular Excellencies) Their nature for the most part being fost, casie, and, as far as my ability could reach, agrocable to the defign of the Anthor: for in them you have from Ballad to fingle Air, Counterpoint, Recitative, Euge, Canon, and Chromatick Mufich; which variety (without vanity be it faid); was never in Court or Theatre till now preferted in this Nation : though I must confess there has been something;

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done, (and more by methan any other) of this kind. And therefore it may justly wear the Title, though all the Tragedy be not in Mufick : for the Author prudently confider d, that though Italy was, and is the great Academy of the World for that Science and way of Entertainment, England is not : and therefore mixt it with interlocutions, as more proper 10 our Genigs.

Another may be, The extream Compals of some of the parts. To which, the Idols of their own imagination may be pleased (if possible) to know, that he robo Composes for Voices, not considering their extent, is like a Bosebing Scult, who being obliged to make Habits for men, ents them out for Children. I Suppose it

needs no Explication.

The next may be, The extravagancies in some parts of the Composition, wherein (as among flender Grammarians) they may think fix'd rules are broken : but they may be futiefied, that whatever appears fo, is only by way of Transition from Time or half-Time Concords, and cover'd by the extream Paris: or to fufpend the Ear and Judgement, for fatisfying both in the Cadence.

Then, against the performance, They fing out of Tune. To which with modely it may be answer'd, He or the that is without fault may cast the first Stone : and for those seldom defects, the major part of the Pocal performers being ignorant of Musick, their Excellencies when they do well, which generally are fo, rather engly to be admired, then their accidental mistakes upbraided.

The next (and I hope the last) is, or may be, Why after fo

long exposid, is it now Printed?

First, to manifest my duty to several persons of Honour, who exp: Sled it.

Secondly, to fatisfic those Lovers and Understanders of Musicks whose business or distance prevent their feeing and hearing it.

Thirdly, that thefe for whom it was Compos'd (the perchance ignorant of the Quality) by the quantity may be convened, the Composing and Teaching it was not in a Dream; and consequently,

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that if the Expence they have been at, do not answer their big

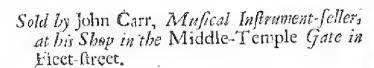
Expectation, the fault's their own, not mine,

Finally, (by way of Cantion) to prevent what differences may happen between them, and whoever they may have occasion to imploy for the future, that on either fide there be no dependance . on good Words or Generolity.

The Instrumental Musick before and between the Acts, and the Entries in the Asts of Psycho are omitted by the confent of their Author, Seignior Gio, Baptifta Draghi. The Times of the Entries and Dances in the Tempost (the Dancers being chang'd) are omitted for the fame reason.

The Errata's in this Impression, which are not many, the Printer desires pardon for, it being his first attempt in this kind; and hopes if it full into ingenious hands they'l Correct them; and is confident what he shall undertake for the future, shall be as free from Mistakes, as any thing that has hitherto been published.

ACT:

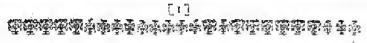


LL forts of Books, and Ruled Paper, Songs, and Aires Vocal and Inflrumental ready prickt, Lutes, Viols, Violins, Gittars, Flageletts, Castinets, Strings, and all forts of Musical Instruments,

And also Mr. Tho. Salmon's Essay to the advancement of Musick, by casting away the per-

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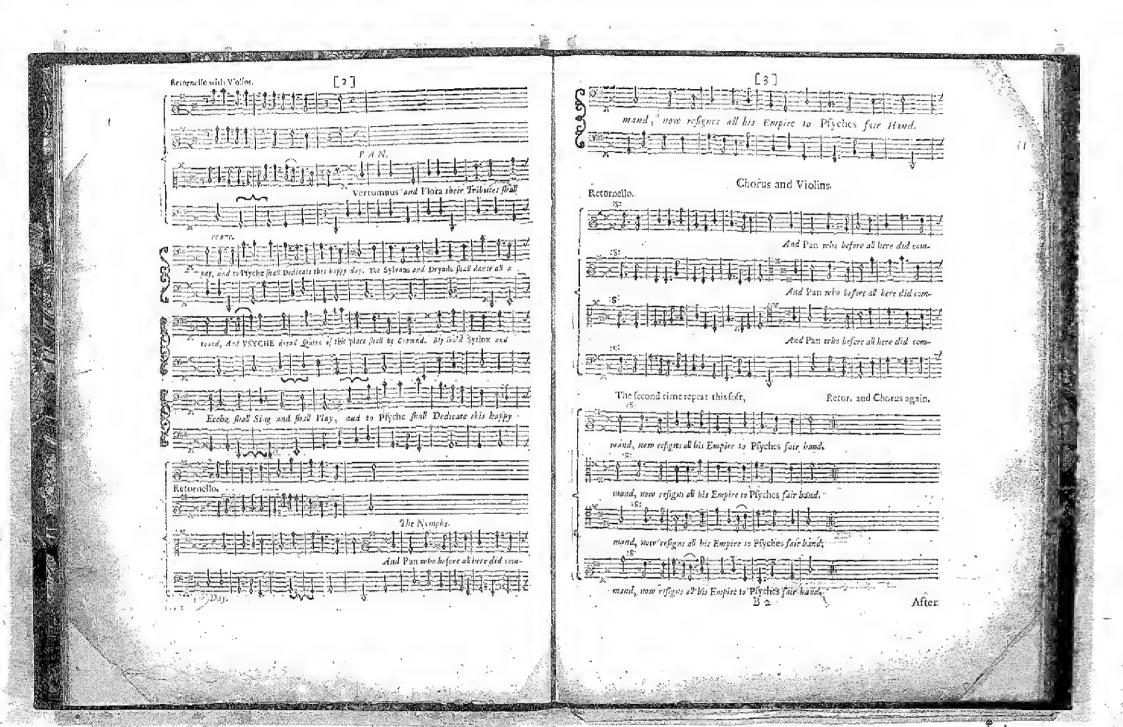
Also Melothesia, or certain general Rules for Playing upon a continued Bass; with a choice Collection of Lessons for the Harpsicord and Organ of all forts, never before Published; all carefully reviewed by Mr. Matthew Lock, Composer in Ordinary to His Majesty, and Organist to the Queen.

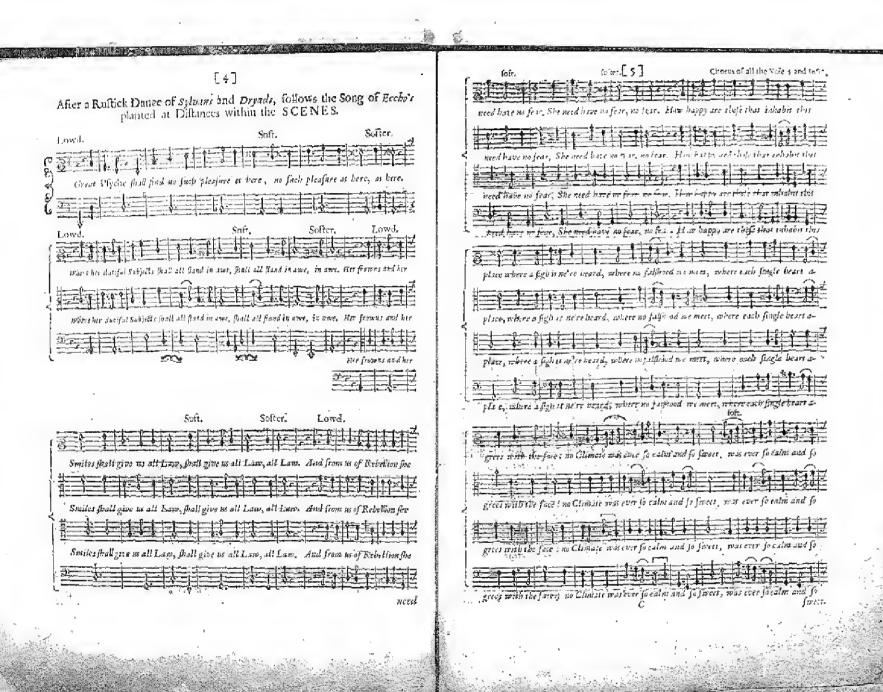


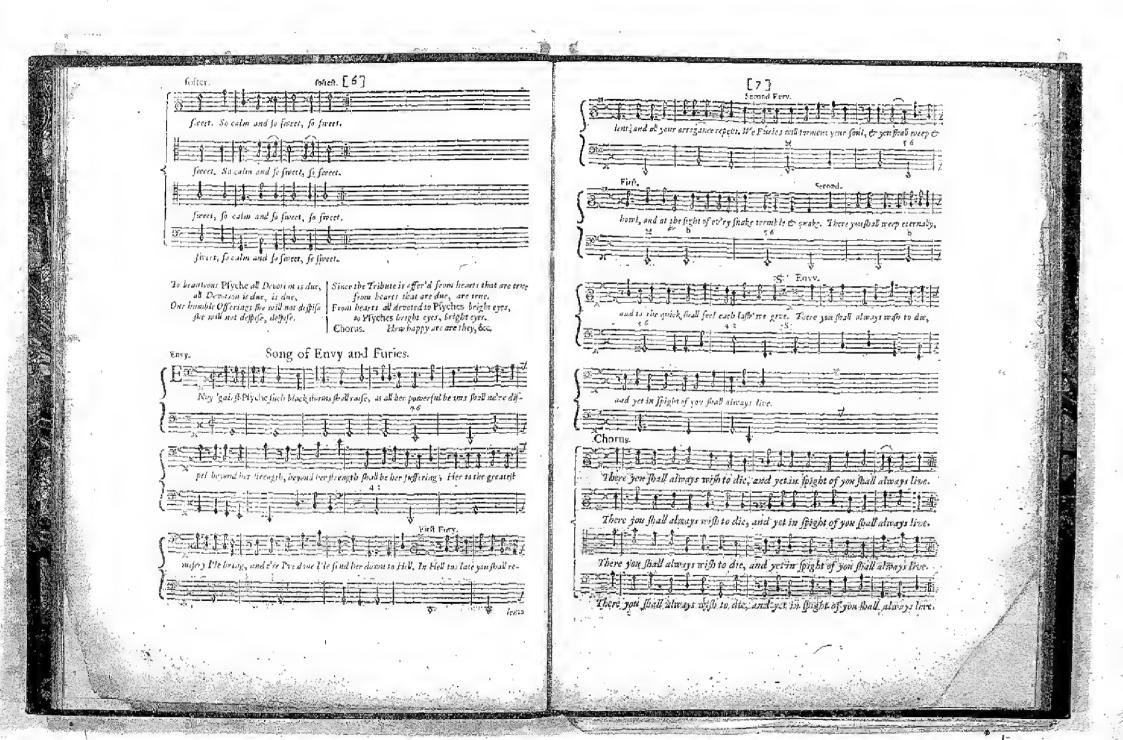
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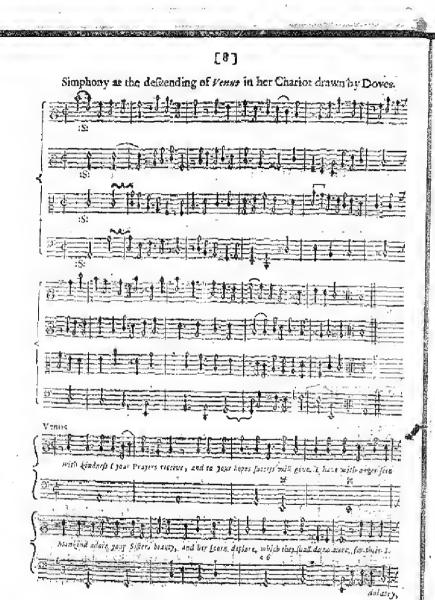
PSYCHE retiring from her Fathers Court, is thus entertain'd by PAN, and his Followers.













The end of the First ACT.

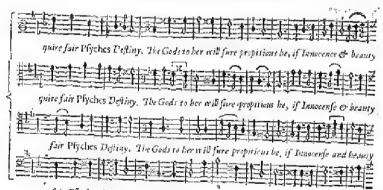
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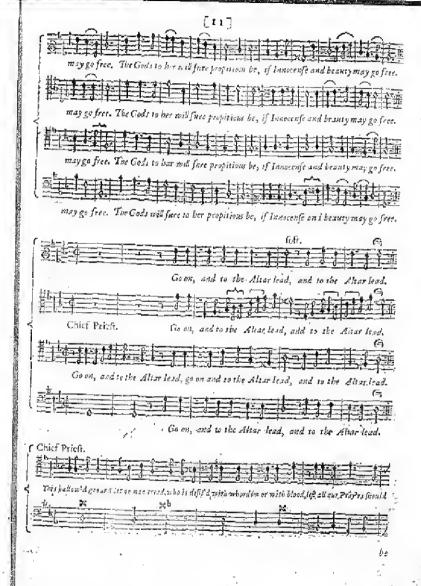
The Song of Procession in the Temple of APOLLO, accompanied with Wind and Strung Instruments.

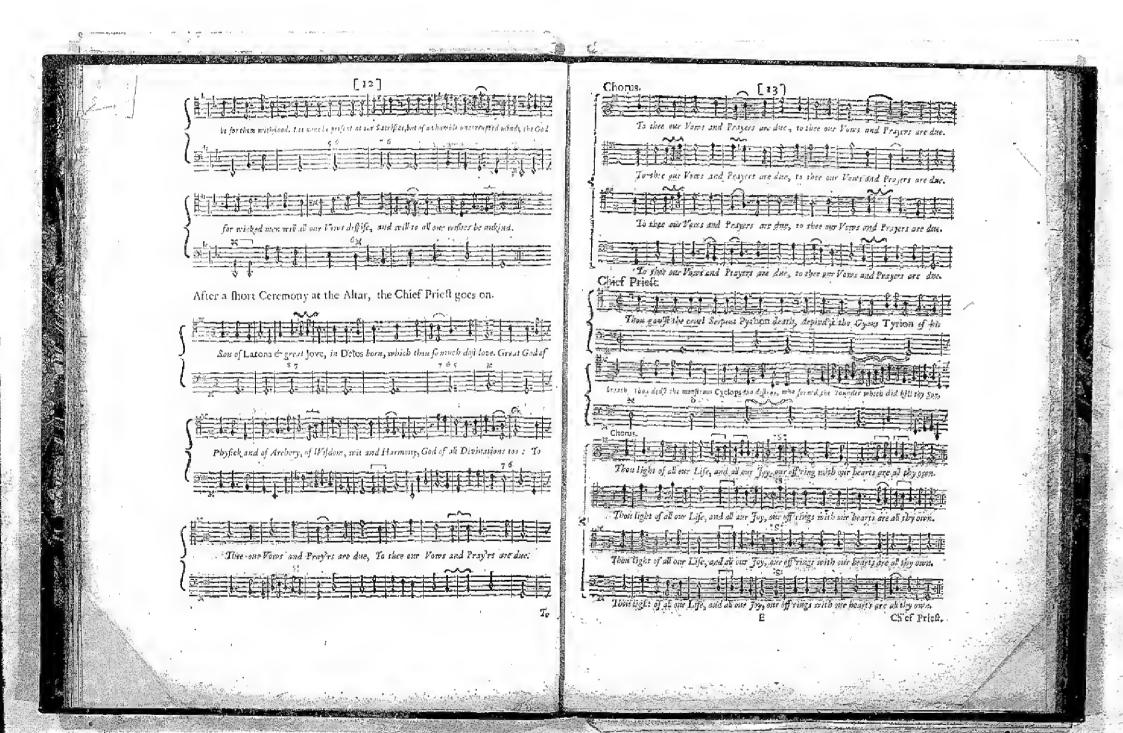


Let's to Apollo's Altar now repair, and offer up our Vous & Praye, Let us inquire



fair Psyches Desting. The Gods to her will sure propietous be, if Innocense and beauty 111,000



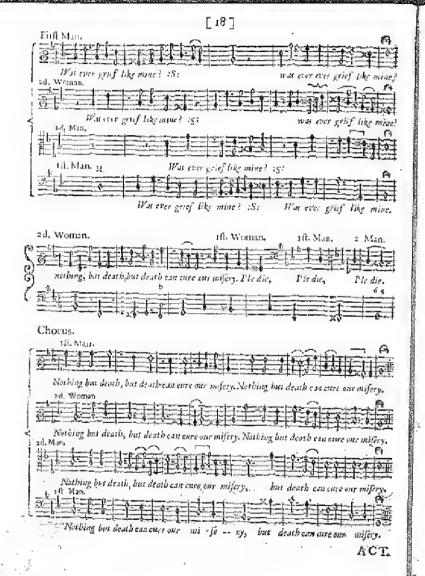




After a Dance of Priests with Cymbals, Bells, and Flambeaux, &c. The Chief Priest with his Attendants mingle with the Dancers, Singers, and Instruments in the following Song.

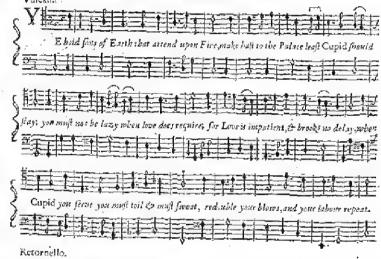






ACT, III.

The Scene is the Palace of capid, where (after a Dance by cyclops) Vulcan enters, and fings the following Song with them.





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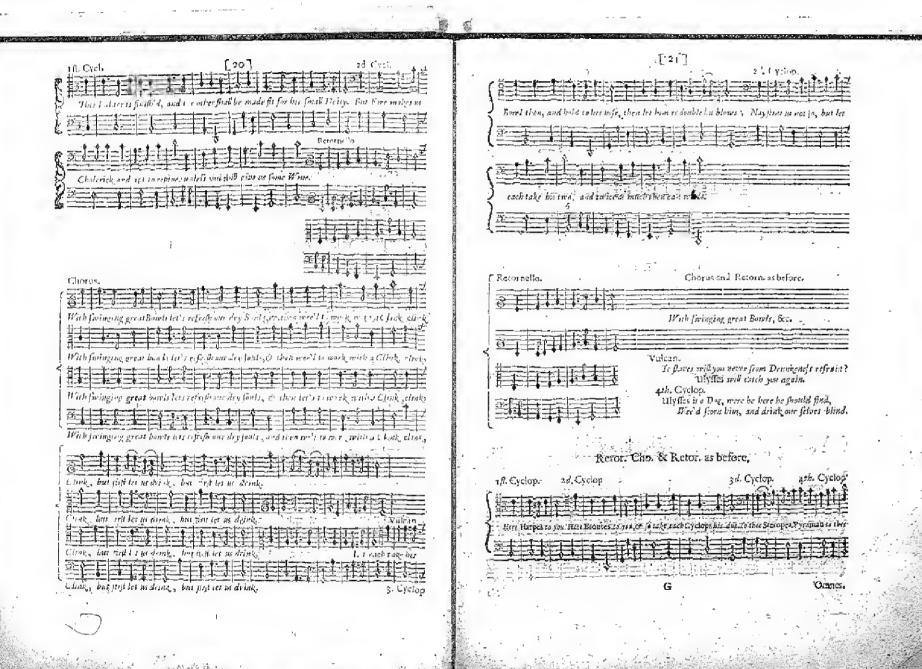
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and nathing from him has with poins is deserved:

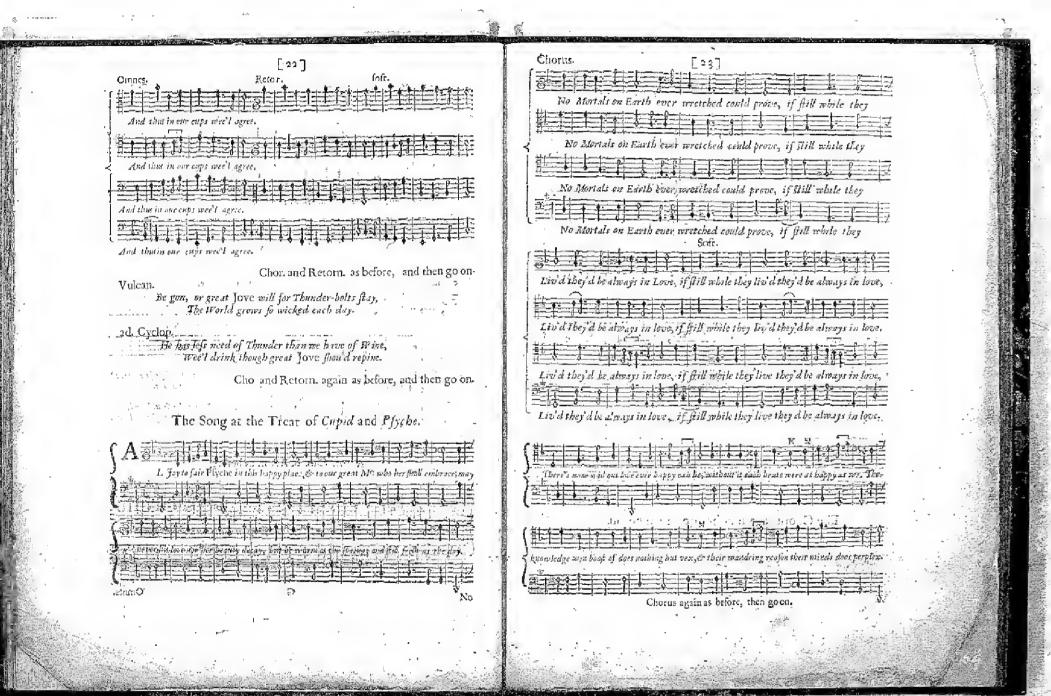
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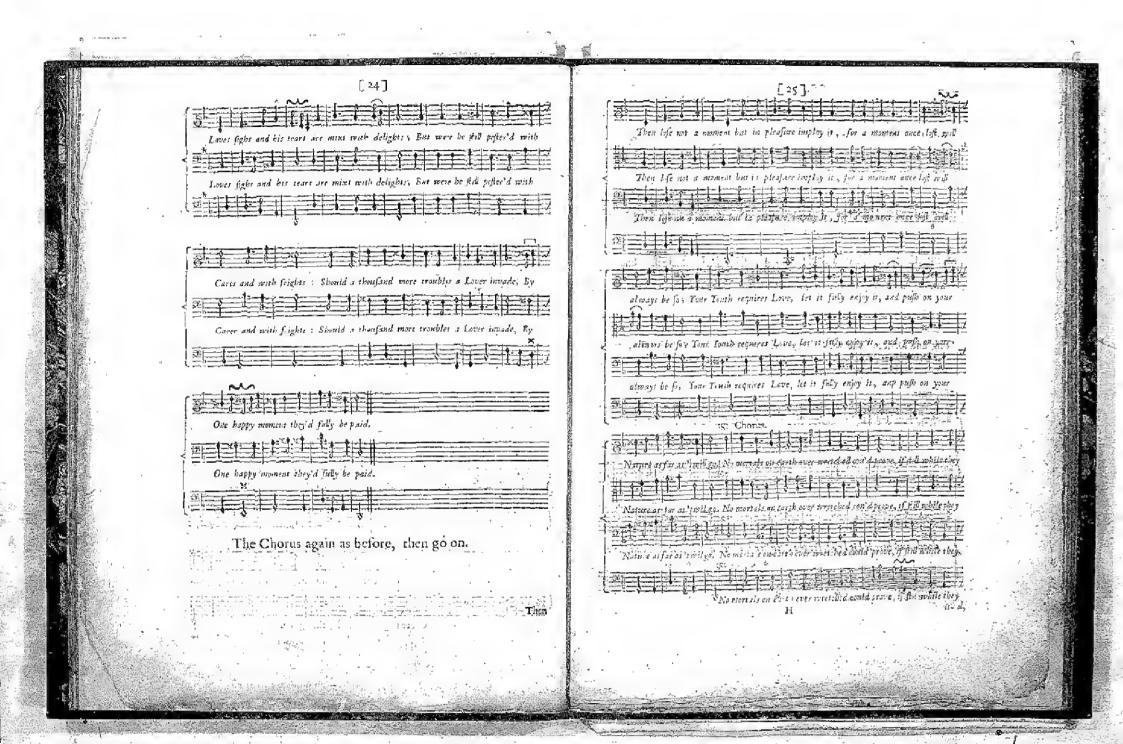
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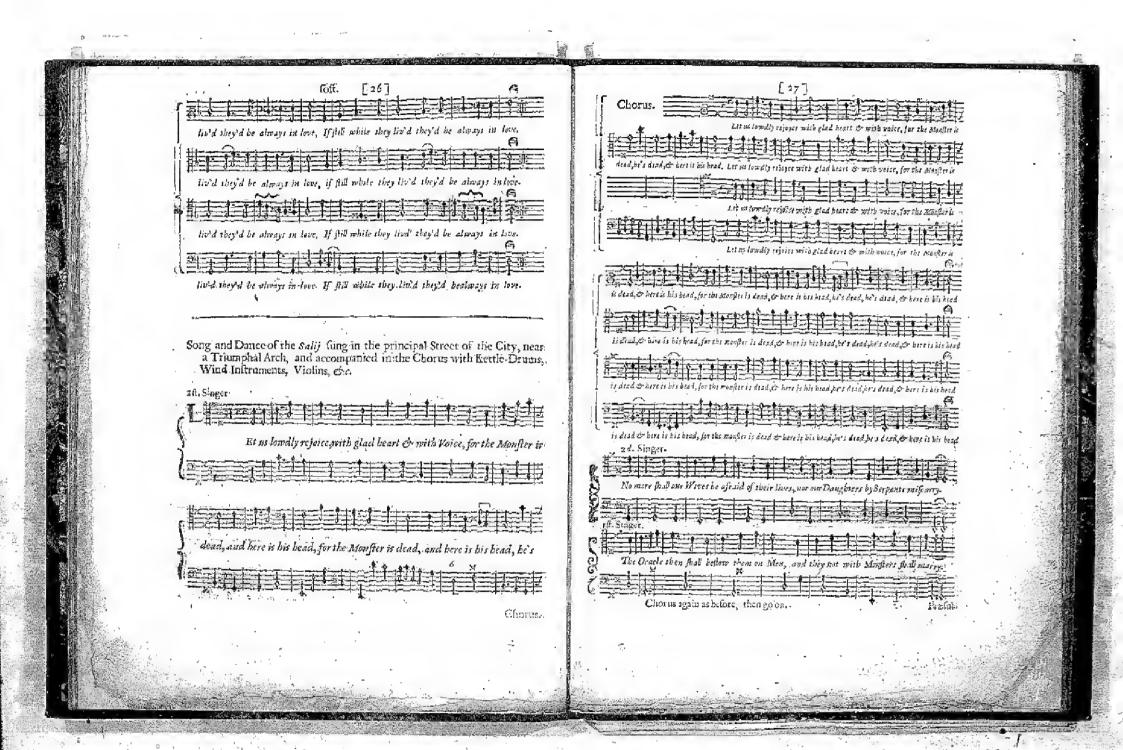
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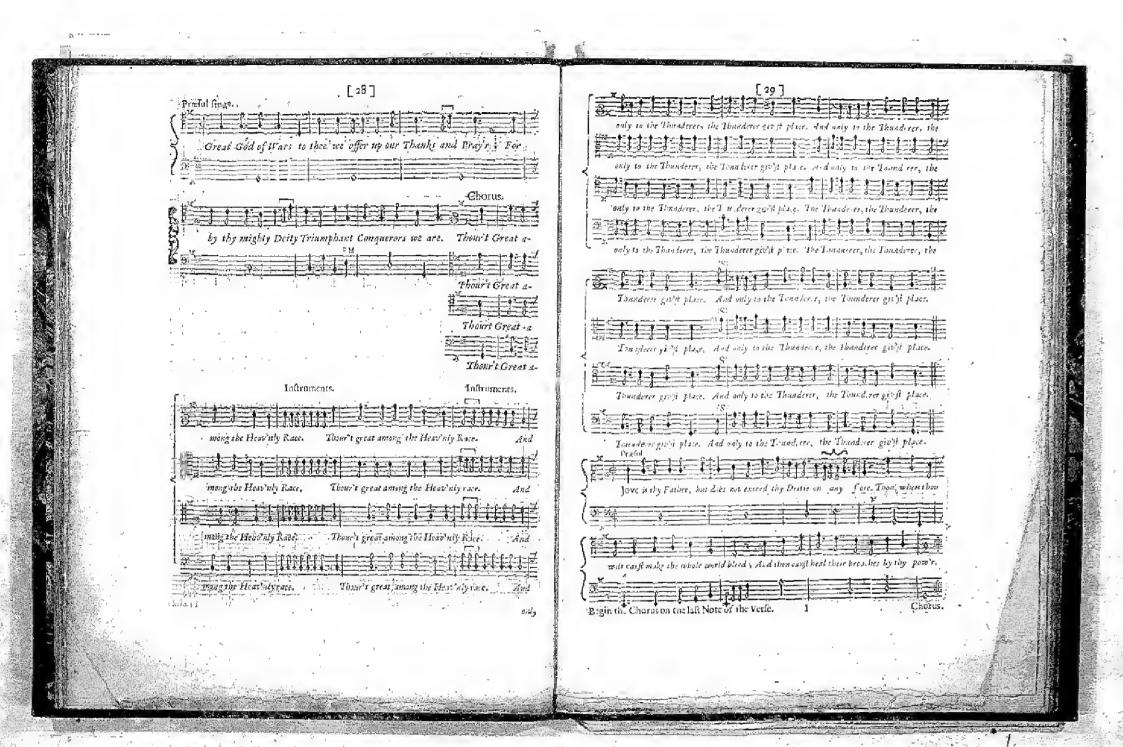
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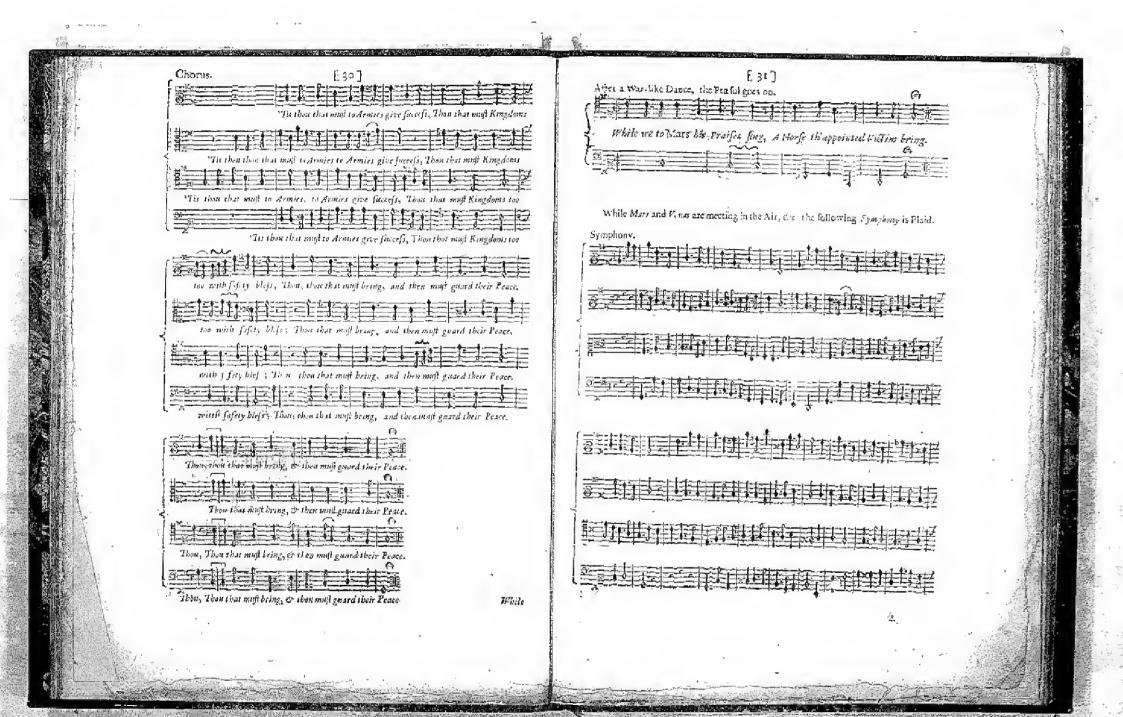




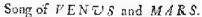




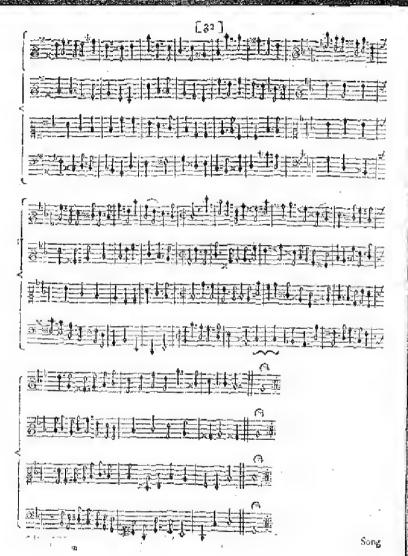


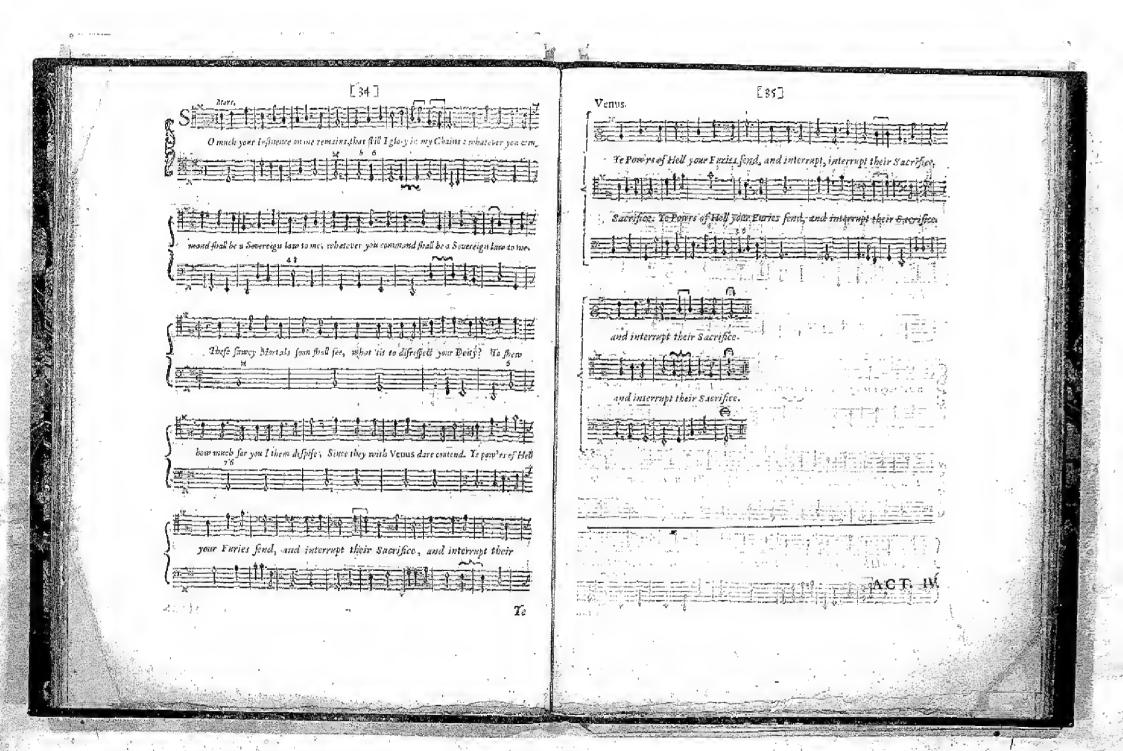


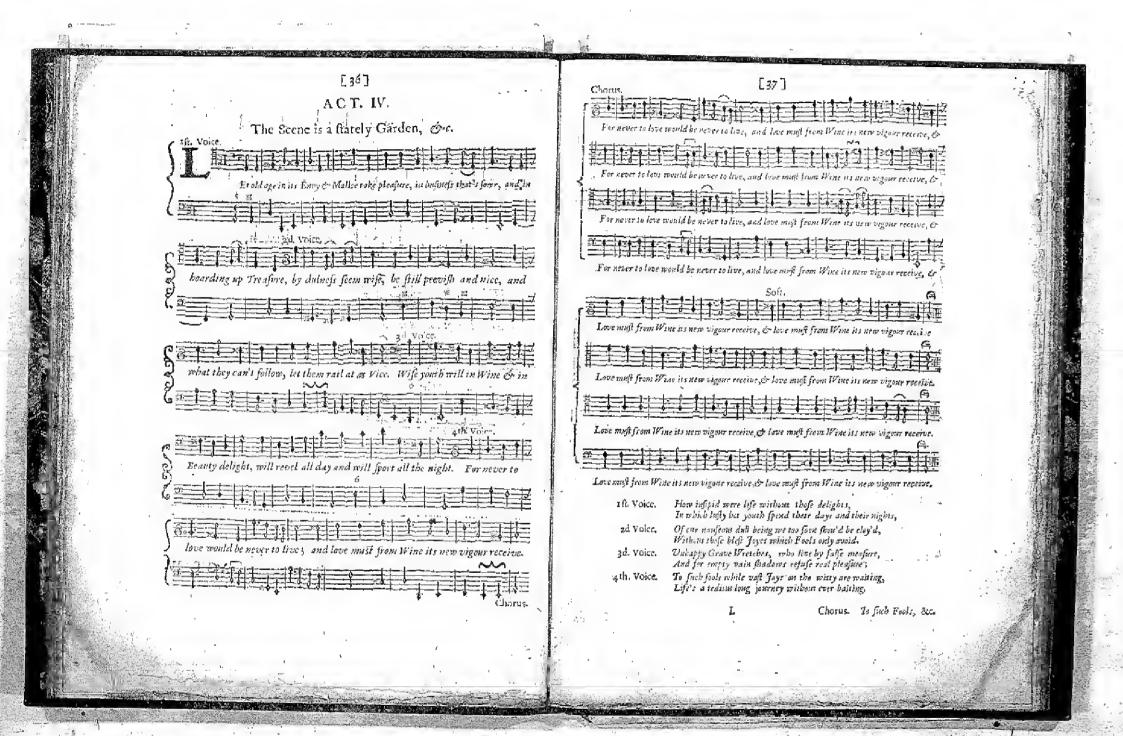








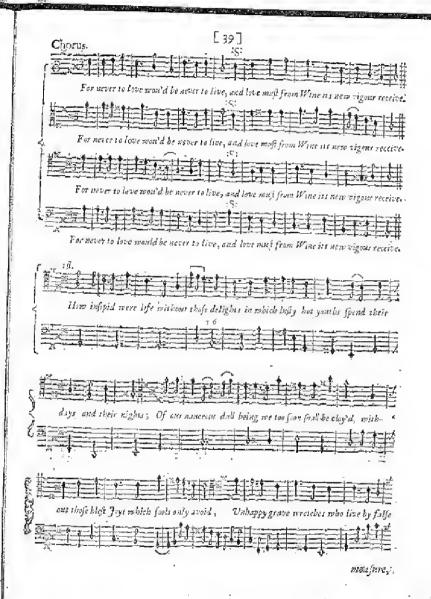






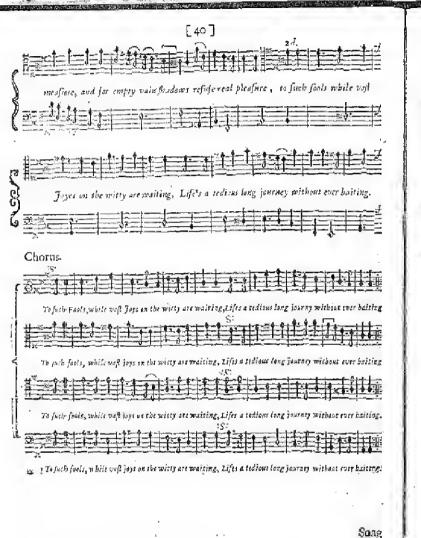


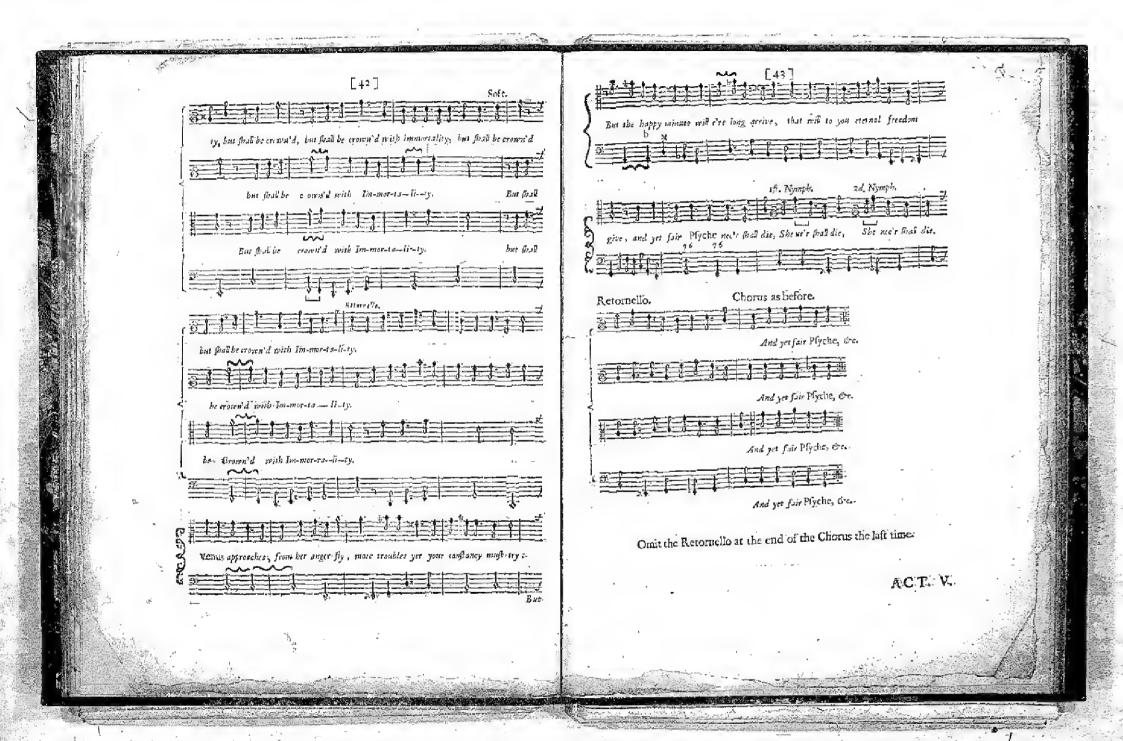
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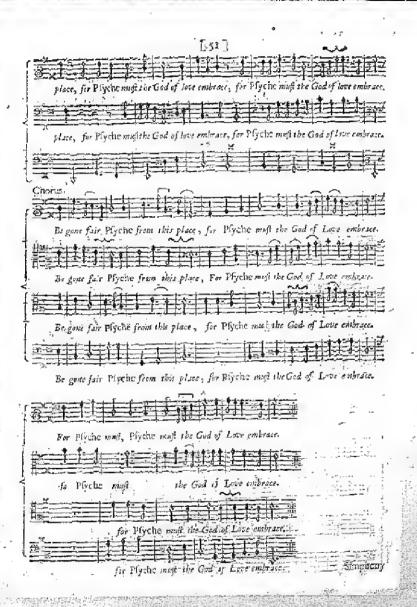


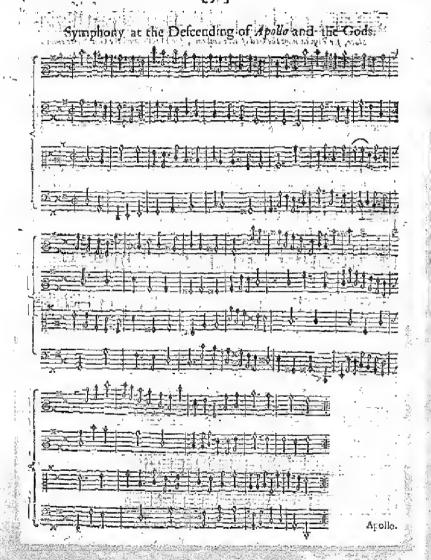




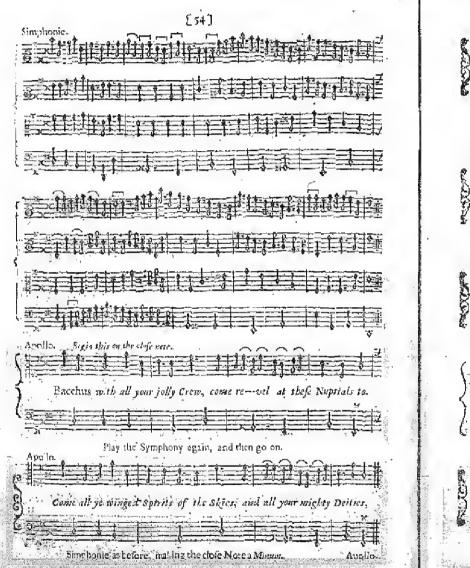




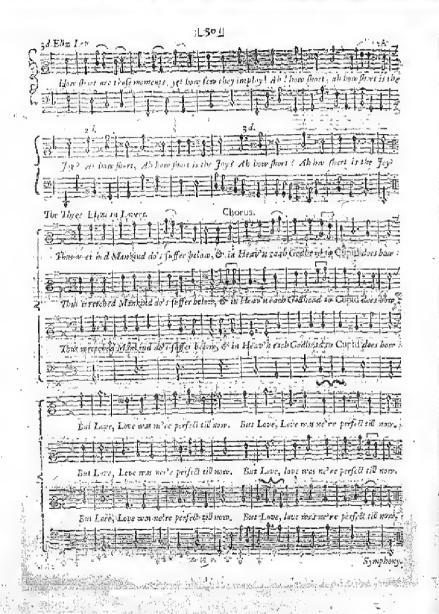




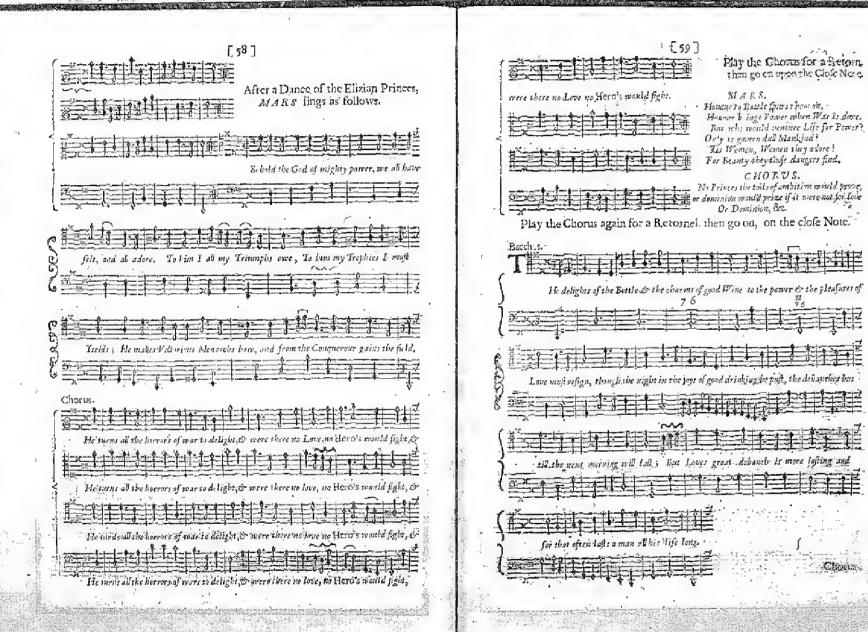








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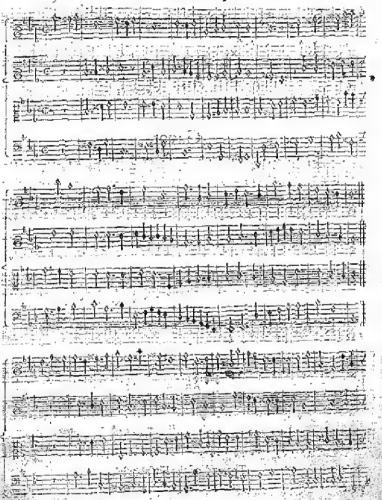




The Instrumental Musick used in the TEMPEST.



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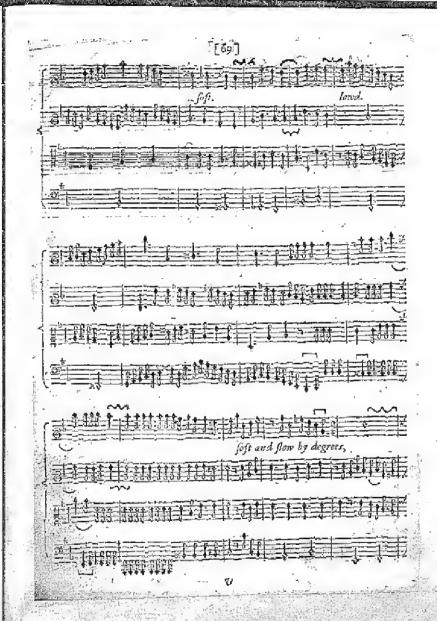
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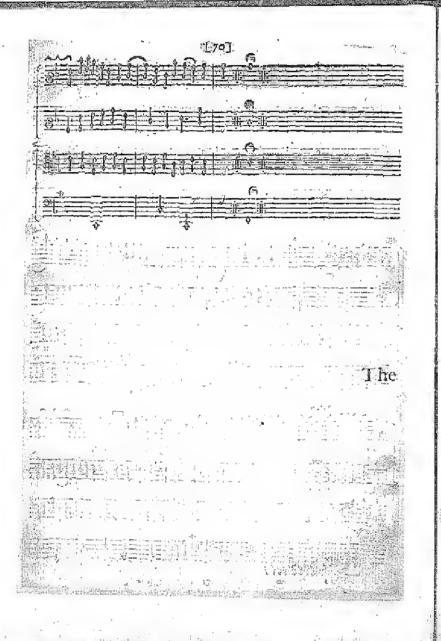
The Second Musick,

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The end of the fecend Mulick.

Curtain Tune in the TEMPEST,





of the First Act Tune,

The Second Act Tune,

The Fourth Act Tune,

The Conclusion,

